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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
	:	Prior Examiner: Golam M. Shameem
ETSUO OHSHIMA, ET AL.	)	
	:	Prior Group Art Unit: 1626
Application No.: (Not Yet Assigned)	)	
(Divisional of Application No. 10/123,027	:	
filed April 12, 2002)	)	
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Filed: Concurrently Herewith	)	
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For: IMIDAZOLIDINE COMPOUNDS	)	December 8, 2003

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

Prior to action on the merits, please amend the above-identified application  
as follows: